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Application of: BOSCHETTI

Confirmation No. 1038

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Group Art Unit: 1618

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Examiner: Dameron Levest JONES

For: POLYVINYL ALCOHOL MICROSPHERES  
AND THERAPEUTIC USES OF THE SAME

Attorney Docket No.: 9676-314-999  
(CAM: 405916-999-056)

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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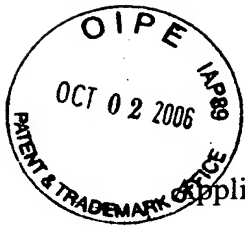
Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated June 2, 2006 concerning the above-referenced patent application for which a response is due on or before September 2, 2006. A Petition for a One (1) Month Extension of Time, including provisions for the required fee, is submitted herewith, which extends the response period from September 2, 2006 to, and including, October 2, 2006. Thus, this response is timely filed.

Please amend the above application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this document.



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AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

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Sir:

The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment of even date herewith concerning the above-identified application has been estimated to be **\$300.00**.

The claim amendment fee has been estimated as shown below:

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